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A panel of 73 samples, including 52 primary breast AB carcinomas, 10 normal breast tissues and 11 axillary lymph nodes, has been analysed for the presence of amplifications and gross structural alterations, in the oncogenes c-erbB-2, c-erbA, c-myc, N-myc, c-mos and c-Ha-ras. The tumours were also classified, graded and staged histopathologically and their DNA ploidy (42 samples) was determined by flow cytometry. Three breast cancer cell lines (MCF7, ZR-75-1 and T47D) were also included in the study. Amplification of c-erbB-2 was detected in 28% of the tumours, of which 91% had an increased steady-state level of c-erbB-2 mRNA. Amplification of c-erbA was found in 23% of tumours and was always associated with the amplification of c-erbB-2. Ten out of 12 (83%) tumours which had c-erbB-2 and c-erbA co-amplification had metastasised to axillary lymph nodes (P less than 0.006). However, the human thymidine kinase gene, which is present at the same chromosomal location as these two oncogenes (17q21-22), was amplified in only tw tumours. Amplification of c-myc was detected in 21% of the tumours studied, of which 82% (P less than 0.005) were of histopathological grade 3 and none were of grade 1. Flow cytometry showed that 90% (P less than 0.01) of the analysed tumours with c-erbB-2 and c-erbA co-amplification, and 70% (P less than 0.1) of those with c-myc amplification were DNA aneuploid. study demonstrates the potential value of c-myc amplification in the assessment of the tumour grade, rather than metastatic potential; and of the co-amplification of c-erbB-2 and c-erbA as a strong indicator of metastatic potential, rather than tumour grade.

ANSWER 5 OF 5 MEDLINE L5

DUPLICATE 5

MEDLINE 89210192 AN

PubMed ID: 2707103 DN 89210192

- TISelection of cells with different chromosomal localizations of the amplified c-myc gene during in vivo and in vitro growth of the breast carcinoma cell line SW 613-S.
- Cherif D; Lavialle C; Modjtahedi N; Le Coniat M; Berger R; Brison O ΑU Laboratoire de Cytogenetique, U301 INSERM and UM7 CNRS, Centre Hayem, CS

Hopital Saint-Louis, Paris, France.

CHROMOSOMA, (1989 Jan) 97 (4) 327-33. Journal code: 2985138R. ISSN: 0009-5915.

- CY GERMANY, WEST: Germany, Federal Republic of
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AΒ The c-myc gene is amplified in the human breast carcinoma cell line SW 613-S. At early in vitro passages, the extra copies of the gene were mainly localized in double minute chromosomes (DMs), as shown by in situ hybridization with a biotinylated c-myc probe. However, cells without DMs were also present in which the c-myc genes were found integrated into any of several distinct chromosomes

(mainly 7q+, 4 and 4q+, and 1). When this cell line was propagated in vitro, the level of c-myc amplification decreased because cells with DMs and a high amplification level were lost and replaced by cells without DMs and having a low amplification level. On the contrary, when early passage SW 613-S cells were grown in vivo, as subcutaneous tumours in nude mice, cells with numerous DMs and a high level of c-myc amplification were selected for. In one cell line (SW 613-Tul) established from such a tumour, the DM-containing cells were substituted at late passages for cells with a high number of c-myc copies integrated within an abnormally banded region, at band 17q24 of a 17q+ chromosome. When only cells with integrated genes were present, this cell line was still highly tumorigenic indicating that the localization of the c-myc genes in DMs was not required for these cells to be tumorigenic in nude mice. Furthermore, cells of the secondary tumours induced by SW 613-Tu1 did not contain any DMs showing that in vivo growth did not promote the release of integrated c-myc copies into DMs.

L5 ANSWER 1 OF 5 MEDLINE

DUPLICATE 1

AN 92034677 MEDLINE

DN 92034677 PubMed ID: 1682035

- TI Accumulation of genetic alterations and progression of primary breast cancer.
- AU Sato T; Akiyama F; Sakamoto G; Kasumi F; Nakamura Y
- CS Department of Biochemistry, Cancer Institute, Tokyo, Japan.
- SO CANCER RESEARCH, (1991 Nov 1) 51 (21) 5794-9. Journal code: 2984705R. ISSN: 0008-5472.
- CY United States
- DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
- LA English
- FS Priority Journals
- EM 199111
- ED Entered STN: 19920124

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- In order to detect common regions of deletion, 219 breast AΒ tumors were examined for loss of heterozygosity at several loci on chromosomes 3p, 16q, and 17 by restriction fragment length polymorphism analysis. Allelic deletions of loci on chromosomes 3p, 13q, 16q, and 17, and amplification of the erbB2 oncogene, were analyzed and compared with histopathological and clinical features. Common regions of deletion were detected within chromosomal bands 3p13-14.3, 16q22-23, 17p13 (two separated loci), and 17q21. Concordant losses of alleles on chromosomes 3p, 13q, 16q, 17p, and 17q were observed. A significant association was detected between loss of heterozygosity on chromosomes 17p and 17q and amplification of the erbB2 oncogene (17p, P = 0.000721, by Fisher's exact test; 17q, P less than 0.001, chi 2 = 12.135). Furthermore, tumors showing highly malignant phenotypes had accumulated more genetic changes at the loci studied than those having less malignant phenotypes on the basis of histopathological classification, lymph node metastasis, and tumor size. These results suggested that accumulation of genetic alterations, including loss of function of tumor suppressor genes on chromosomes 3p, 13q, 16q, and 17, and amplification of the erbB2 oncogene, may contribute to tumor development and/or progression in primary breast cancer.
- L5 ANSWER 2 OF 5 MEDLINE

DUPLICATE 2

- AN 91033775 MEDLINE
- DN 91033775 PubMed ID: 1977681
- TI The gene for 17 beta-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase maps to human chromosome 17, bands q12-q21, and shows an RFLP with ScaI.
- AU Winqvist R; Peltoketo H; Isomaa V; Grzeschik K H; Mannermaa A; Vihko R
- CS Department of Clinical Genetics, Oulu University Central Hospital, Finland.
- SO HUMAN GENETICS, (1990 Oct) 85 (5) 473-6. Journal code: 7613873. ISSN: 0340-6717.
- CY GERMANY: Germany, Federal Republic of
- DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
- LA English
- FS Priority Journals
- EM 199012
- ED Entered STN: 19910208 Last Updated on STN: 19950206

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The gene encoding human 17 beta-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase (17-HSD; EC 1.1.1.62) is assigned to chromosome 17 by Southern blotting analyses of panels of human x rodent somatic cell hybrids and independently to 17q12-q21 using chromosomal in situ hybridization. A search for physical linkage between 17-HSD and the proto-oncogenes. THRA1 and ERBB2 (both

reported to be located in this region of chromosome 17) was performed by pulsed-field gel electrophoresis (PFGE) using several rare-cutting restriction endonucleases. Because all three genes hybridized to DNA fragments of different lengths it seems unlikely that the gene for 17-HSD is located very close to THRA1 and ERBB2. Further evidence for this assumption was obtained from the absence of any coamplification of the 17-HSD gene in 9 breast tumors with

amplification of the ERBB2 gene. Analyses of Southern blots of ScaI-digested DNAs from unrelated individuals from Northern Finland revealed a relatively infrequent diallelic restriction fragment length polymorphism, the allele frequencies of which were 0.04 (A1) and 0.96 (A2).

L5 ANSWER 3 OF 5 MEDLINE

DUPLICATE 3

AN 89248991 MEDLINE

DN 89248991 PubMed ID: 2566377

- TI Correlation between long-term survival in **breast cancer** patients and **amplification** of two putative oncogene-coamplification units: hst-1/int-2 and c-erbB-2/ear-1.
- AU Tsuda H; Hirohashi S; Shimosato Y; Hirota T; Tsugane S; Yamamoto H; Miyajima N; Toyoshima K; Yamamoto T; Yokota J; +
- CS Pathology Division, National Cancer Center Research Institute, Tokyo, Japan.
- SO CANCER RESEARCH, (1989 Jun 1) 49 (11) 3104-8. Journal code: 2984705R. ISSN: 0008-5472.
- CY United States
- DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
- LA English
- FS Priority Journals
- EM 198906
- ED Entered STN: 19900306

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  Entered Medline: 19890623
- AB The incidence and association with 10-year survival of amplification in five protooncogenes or transforming genes were retrospectively examined using DNAs extracted from formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded blocks of tissues obtained from 176 consecutive patients surgically treated for primary breast carcinoma. incidences of greater than threefold amplification of hst-1, int-2, c-erbB-2, ear-1 (one of c-erbA), and c-myc were 12, 13, 16, 10, and 4.0%, respectively. hst-1 and int-2 were almost always coamplified (21/22), while c-erbB-2 and ear-1 were frequently coamplified (18/28) with almost the same copy number. The hst-1 and int-2 pair and the c-erbB-2 and ear-1 pair, localized on chromosomes 11q13 and 17q21-22, respectively, in normal cells, were inferred to be constituents of different amplification units. Amplification of hst-1 and/or int-2 was detected preferentially in the younger age group, and was correlated with poorer prognosis in cases carrying four or more copies of the genes. Amplification of c-erbB-2 and/or ear-1 was strongly correlated with poor prognosis in all 176 patients, especially those with lymph node metastasis. Amplification of c-myc was also correlated with poor prognosis. Cox's life-table regression analysis showed that amplification of c-erbB-2 had a prognostic value, which was independent of other known prognostic factors such as lymph node status and tumor size.

L5 ANSWER 4 OF 5 MEDLINE

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AN 90028019 MEDLINE

DN 90028019 PubMed ID: 2572268

TI c-erbB-2/c-erbA co-amplification indicative of lymph node metastasis, and c-myc amplification of high tumour grade, in human breast carcinoma.

AU Tavassoli M; Quirke P; Farzaneh F; Lock N J; Mayne L V; Kirkham N